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Applicant: Ashkenazi et al. Docket No.: 39780-1618P2C80
Serial No.: 09/909,320 Group Art Unit: 1647
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For: **SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC
ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME**
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The Applicant notes that prosecution on the merits was re-opened by the Examiner in the Office action dated April 20, 2004.

Listed on an attached Form PTO-1449 is information known to applicant(s). Each reference listed has been cited in related patent application US Serial No. 09/903,640; Our Ref. No. 39780-1618P2C48 and/or US Serial No. 09/903,925; Our Ref. No. 39780-1618P2C49. Therefore, a copy of each reference is not provided. The applicant would be happy to provide a copy upon request. Applicants propose these documents for consideration for completeness in cross-citation within the related applications. Applicants respectfully request that the listed information be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the above-identified application. The Examiner is requested to initial and return form PTO-1449 in accordance with MPEP §609.

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- B. a petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d) requesting consideration of this statement is submitted herewith; **and**
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- ☒ *Fee Authorization.* The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above-referenced fees of \$180.00 and charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 08-1641 (Docket No. 39780-1618P2C80).

Respectfully submitted,

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